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VIA CERTIFIED MAIL

Mr. William Brice III Brice Law Firm, LLC P.O. Drawer 300 York, SC 29745

RE: Petition of the Office of Regulatory Staff for a Declaratory Order Against Nature's

Development - Docket No. 2009-382-WS

Dear Mr. Brice:

The hearing in the above-captioned docket is scheduled for April 21, 2010. When we last spoke, it was my understanding that there was a possibility of forming a Home Owner's Association and thus claim an exemption from regulation of the Public Service Commission. As of the date of this letter, our information is that no Home Owner's Association has been formed.

Please advise as to whether your client intends to become a regulated utility or plans to cease charging for water/wastewater service.

I look forward to your response.

Very truly yours,

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cc: Jocelyn Boyd, Esquire, Public Service Commission of South Carolina